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ABSTRACT

The 1960's witnessed considerable change in educational attainment levels. Of Americans 25 years old and over in 1970, 52 percent were at least high school graduates, as compared with 41 percent in 1960 and 34 percent in 1950. There was considerable variation in educational attainment levels in 1970 among the various age groups in the population. For example, among older Americans 75 years old and over only 21 percent were high school graduates, but among the younger adults, those 20 to 24 years old, who would have recently completed their high school education, 78 percent were high school graduates. At each preceding younger age from 75 years old and over down to 20 to 24 years, the median number of years of school completed rises. Among those 50 to 54 years old, the median was 12.0 for the men and 12.1 for the women. The median reached a high of 12.7 for the men 20 to 24 years old and 12.6 years for the women of this age. Negroes and persons of Spanish heritage lagged behind the total population in educational attainment, but they are making considerable gains. In 1970, 31 percent of Negroes 25 years old and over had graduated from high school; however, among the younger Negroes, 20 to 24 years old, 62 percent were high school graduates. Among persons of Spanish heritage, 36 percent of those 25 years old and over were high school graduates as compared with 58 percent of those 20 to 24 years old. (Author/JM)

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SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT

Educational Attainment by Age, Sex, and Race, for the United States: 1970

(The data presented here are extracted from table 199 of Final Report PC(1)-D1, **Detailed Characteristics, United States Summary**, which contains additional information on education and other characteristics as well as more technical explanations)

The decade of the 1960's was a period of considerable change in the educational attainment levels of the American population. Over half, 52 percent, of Americans 25 years old and over in 1970 were at least high school graduates, as compared with 41 percent in 1960 and 34 percent in 1950.

There was considerable variation in educational attainment levels in 1970 among the various age groups in the population. For example, among older Americans 75 years old and over only 21 percent were high school graduates, but among the younger adults, those 20 to 24 years old, who would have recently completed their high school education, 78 percent were high school graduates.

At each preceding younger age from 75 years old and over down to 20 to 24 years, the median number of years of school completed rises. For example, among those 75 years old and over, the median years of school completed was 8.3 years for men and 8.6 years for women. Among those 50 to 54 years old, the median was 12.0 for the men and 12.1 for the women. The median reached a high of 12.7 years for the men 20 to 24 years old and 12.6 years for the women of this age.

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Negroes and persons of Spanish heritage lagged behind the total population in educational attainment, but they are making considerable gains. In 1970, 31 percent of Negroes 25 years old and over had graduated from high school, however, among the younger Negroes, 20 to 24 years old, 62 percent were high school graduates. Among persons of Spanish heritage, 36 percent of those 25 years old and over were high school graduates as compared with 58 percent of those 20 to 24 years old.

Age.—The age classification is based on the age of the person in completed years as of April 1, 1970, and was determined from the reply to questions on age and on month and year of birth.

Race.—Information on race was obtained primarily through self-enumeration, and the data represent essentially self-classification by people according to the race with which they identify themselves. For persons of mixed parentage who were in doubt as to their classification, the race of the person's father was to be used.

The category "white" includes persons who indicated their race as white, as well as persons who did not classify themselves in one of the specific race categories on the questionnaire but entered Mexican, Puerto Rican, or a response suggesting Indo-European stock.

The category "Negro" includes persons who indicated their race as Negro or black, as well as persons who did not classify themselves in one of the specific race categories on the questionnaire but had such entries as Jamaican, Trinidadian, West Indian, Haitian, and Ethiopian. The term "Negro and other races" includes persons of all races other than white.

SPANISH HERITAGE

In this report, social and economic characteristics are presented for the population of Spanish heritage, which is identified in various ways, using information derived from the 15-percent sample. In 42 States and the District of Columbia, this population is identified as "Persons of Spanish language"; in five Southwestern States, as "Persons of Spanish language or Spanish surname"; and in the three Middle Atlantic States, as "Persons of Puerto Rican birth or parentage." The specific definitions involved in identifying these population groups are given below.

Spanish language.—Persons of Spanish language comprise persons of Spanish mother tongue and all other persons in families in which the head or wife reported Spanish as his or her mother tongue.

Spanish surname.—In five Southwestern States (Arizona, California, Colorado, New Mexico, and Texas) persons with Spanish surnames were identified by means of a list of over 8,000 Spanish surnames originally compiled by the Immigration and Naturalization Service[1] (and later updated by the Bureau of the Census). In the five Southwestern States the population of Spanish heritage consists of persons of Spanish language combined with all other persons of Spanish surname. The number of these additional persons is shown in the category "Other persons of Spanish surname."

Puerto Rican birth or parentage.—The population of Puerto Rican birth or parentage includes persons born in Puerto Rico and persons born in the United States or an outlying area with one or both parents born in Puerto Rico. In New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania, the population of Spanish heritage consists of persons of Puerto Rican birth or parentage.

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[1] U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service, **Supplement to Manual of Immigration, Spanish-Spanish Personal Names**, selected by Inspector George Lockwood, New York, 1936.

Years of school completed.—The information on years of school completed was based on responses to two questions. The first called for the highest grade attended, regardless of "skipped" or "repeated" grades. Persons whose highest grade of attendance was in a foreign school system, or in an ungraded school whose highest level of schooling was measured by "readers," or whose training was received through a tutor were instructed to report the approximate equivalent grade in the regular United States school system. The second question on educational attainment asked whether or not the highest grade attended had been finished.

The number in each category of highest grade of school completed represents the combination of (a) persons who reported that they had attended the indicated grade and had finished it, (b) those who had attended the next higher grade but had not finished it, and (c) those still attending the next higher grade. Persons who have not completed the first year of elementary school are classified as having no years of school completed.

SAMPLE SIZE, DERIVED FIGURES, AND SYMBOLS

The data presented here for the total, white, and Negro populations are based on the 20-percent sample; those for persons of Spanish heritage are based on the 15-percent sample.

The median number of school years completed was computed after the statistics on years of school completed had been converted to a continuous series of numbers (e.g., completion of the 1st year of high school was treated as completion of the 9th year and completion of the 1st year of college as completion of the 13th year). Persons completing a given school year were assumed to be distributed evenly within the interval from .0 to .9 of the year.

A dash "-" signifies zero. Three dots "..." mean not applicable, or that the base for the derived figure is too small for it to be shown.

Table 199. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Race, Sex, and Age: 1970

(Data based on sample: see text. For minimum base for derived figures (percent, median, etc.) and meaning of symbols, see text)

United States
Urban and Rural

	Total	Years of school completed														Median school years completed
		None	Elementary school					High school				College				
			1 and 2	3 and 4	5 and 6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5 or more	
UNITED STATES																
Total																
Total, 14 years old and over	**149 398 189**	**2 082 871**	**1 142 703**	**3 371 908**	**7 026 349**	**7 078 232**	**18 655 441**	**11 450 276**	**12 910 346**	**10 992 629**	**44 336 049**	**7 013 288**	**6 856 169**	**3 324 795**	**7 801 407**	**5 355 706**	**12.0**
14 to 19 years old	23 393 961	177 525	46 837	91 844	631 178	2 072 903	4 781 341	4 234 119	3 886 989	3 581 577	3 506 090	886 504	83 322	10 614	3 118		10.1
20 to 24 years old	16 104 869	137 593	35 533	68 836	178 079	189 709	458 736	615 578	845 147	903 919	6 671 928	1 701 747	1 754 991	1 106 344	1 140 685	296 044	12.7
25 years old and over	109 899 359	1 767 753	1 060 333	3 211 228	6 217 092	4 815 620	14 015 364	6 600 579	8 178 210	6 507 133	34 158 051	4 425 037	5 017 856	2 207 837	6 657 604	5 059 662	12.1
Male, 14 years old and over	**71 481 904**	**1 017 576**	**640 895**	**1 795 394**	**3 567 514**	**3 646 759**	**9 092 026**	**5 519 418**	**6 011 303**	**5 107 806**	**18 935 328**	**3 317 621**	**3 431 465**	**1 642 524**	**4 070 496**	**3 686 649**	**11.9**
14 to 19 years old	11 858 271	93 527	25 578	52 525	390 686	1 152 951	2 147 610	2 149 223	1 955 288	1 786 621	1 623 663	437 141	37 211	4 742	1 505		10.0
20 to 24 years old	7 753 863	71 198	19 741	38 252	93 916	101 241	236 375	294 332	385 415	434 111	2 946 447	880 046	914 135	591 576	550 832	196 246	12.7
25 years old and over	51 869 770	852 851	594 706	1 704 617	3 082 912	2 392 567	6 708 041	3 075 863	3 670 600	2 887 074	14 365 218	2 000 434	2 480 119	1 046 206	3 518 159	3 490 403	12.1
25 to 29 years old	8 572 273	60 105	19 211	41 830	110 204	115 247	284 524	310 548	401 820	352 502	2 504 916	425 413	431 702	234 437	646 902	632 912	12.6
30 to 34 years old	5 595 530	50 368	23 659	61 356	145 978	129 731	332 072	306 007	384 439	307 113	2 072 042	292 194	316 490	141 439	488 354	544 288	12.5
35 to 39 years old	5 440 065	50 565	32 779	90 557	196 951	164 590	421 496	308 763	378 545	297 590	1 839 066	233 943	299 410	116 534	488 353	520 923	12.4
40 to 44 years old	5 828 633	55 045	41 990	115 612	247 960	215 359	567 680	380 458	485 256	377 669	1 738 884	223 388	305 116	117 084	486 956	470 176	12.2
45 to 49 years old	5 832 820	59 463	51 001	139 420	273 034	227 503	625 798	346 922	457 545	411 317	1 785 264	222 108	299 952	109 809	421 806	401 878	12.2
50 to 54 years old	5 339 439	58 247	54 519	154 812	295 412	254 192	729 802	342 913	427 429	368 820	1 550 632	182 546	254 507	91 372	288 204	286 032	12.0
55 to 59 years old	4 779 461	64 038	64 292	186 075	351 621	301 949	845 945	324 600	376 035	288 560	1 123 692	140 959	194 244	73 481	221 336	222 634	10.7
60 to 64 years old	4 043 919	74 022	68 270	200 470	366 959	298 024	839 014	274 602	307 446	210 725	732 413	107 916	148 750	62 081	176 427	176 800	9.6
65 to 69 years old	3 113 144	85 874	74 941	213 768	357 487	262 543	748 675	197 399	195 416	118 333	423 227	68 819	95 494	40 466	124 414	106 288	8.6
70 to 74 years old	2 319 748	89 459	61 834	189 009	298 854	192 904	576 169	137 255	129 082	76 202	284 876	49 625	63 621	27 404	81 190	62 264	8.6
75 years old and over	3 004 738	205 665	102 210	311 708	438 452	230 525	736 866	146 396	127 587	78 243	310 206	53 523	70 833	32 099	94 217	66 208	8.3
Percent	100.0	1.4	0.9	2.5	5.0	5.1	12.7	7.7	8.4	7.1	26.5	4.6	4.8	2.3	5.7	5.2	...
14 to 19 years old	100.0	0.8	0.2	0.4	3.3	9.7	18.1	18.1	16.5	15.1	13.7	3.7	0.3				...
20 to 24 years old	100.0	0.9	0.3	0.5	1.2	1.3	3.0	3.8	5.0	5.6	38.0	11.3	11.8	7.6	7.1	2.5	...
25 years old and over	100.0	1.6	1.1	3.3	5.9	4.6	12.9	5.9	7.1	5.6	27.7	3.9	4.8	2.0	6.8	6.7	...
25 to 29 years old	100.0	0.9	0.3	0.6	1.7	1.8	4.3	4.7	6.1	5.4	38.1	6.5	6.6	3.6	9.8	9.6	...
30 to 34 years old	100.0	0.9	0.4	1.1	2.6	2.3	5.9	5.5	6.9	5.5	37.0	5.2	5.7	2.5	8.7	9.7	...
35 to 39 years old	100.0	0.9	0.6	1.7	3.6	3.0	7.7	5.7	7.0	5.5	33.8	4.3	5.5	2.1	9.0	9.6	...
40 to 44 years old	100.0	0.9	0.7	2.0	4.3	3.7	9.7	6.5	8.3	6.5	29.8	3.8	5.2	2.0	8.4	8.1	...
45 to 49 years old	100.0	1.0	0.9	2.4	4.7	3.9	10.7	5.9	7.8	7.1	30.6	3.8	5.1	1.9	7.2	6.9	...
50 to 54 years old	100.0	1.1	1.0	2.9	5.5	4.8	13.7	6.4	8.0	6.9	29.0	3.4	4.8	1.7	5.4	5.4	...
55 to 59 years old	100.0	1.3	1.3	3.9	7.4	6.3	17.7	6.8	7.9	6.0	23.5	2.9	4.1	1.5	4.6	4.7	...
60 to 64 years old	100.0	1.8	1.7	5.0	9.1	7.4	20.7	6.8	7.6	5.2	18.1	2.7	3.7	1.5	4.4	4.4	...
65 to 69 years old	100.0	2.8	2.4	6.9	11.5	8.4	24.0	6.3	6.3	3.8	13.6	2.2	3.1	1.3	4.0	3.4	...
70 to 74 years old	100.0	3.9	2.7	8.1	12.9	8.3	24.8	5.9	5.6	3.3	12.3	2.1	2.7	1.2	3.5	2.7	...
75 years old and over	100.0	6.8	3.4	10.4	14.6	7.7	24.5	4.9	4.2	2.6	10.3	1.8	2.4	1.1	3.1	2.2	...
Female, 14 years old and over	**77 916 285**	**1 065 295**	**502 678**	**1 576 514**	**3 458 835**	**3 431 473**	**9 563 415**	**5 930 858**	**6 899 043**	**5 884 823**	**25 400 741**	**3 695 667**	**3 424 704**	**1 682 271**	**3 730 911**	**1 669 057**	**12.0**
14 to 19 years old	11 535 690	83 998	21 259	39 319	240 492	919 952	2 033 731	2 084 896	1 931 701	1 794 956	1 882 427	449 363	46 111	5 872	1 613		10.2
20 to 24 years old	8 351 006	66 395	15 792	30 584	84 163	88 468	222 361	321 246	459 732	469 808	3 725 481	821 701	840 856	514 768	589 853	99 798	12.6
25 years old and over	58 029 589	914 902	465 627	1 506 611	3 134 180	2 423 053	7 307 323	3 524 716	4 507 610	3 620 059	19 792 833	2 424 603	2 537 737	1 161 631	3 139 445	1 569 259	12.1
25 to 29 years old	6 823 213	54 161	15 920	36 383	99 797	98 769	261 609	338 349	482 150	421 855	3 101 128	431 715	366 650	206 319	649 140	259 208	12.5
30 to 34 years old	5 854 931	47 167	18 047	50 651	126 400	111 588	300 099	333 643	468 420	384 000	2 652 593	308 090	279 143	155 540	429 914	189 636	12.4
35 to 39 years old	5 710 119	47 956	23 325	65 695	158 801	138 599	371 154	335 442	480 230	379 309	2 498 761	271 883	261 002	126 541	358 104	173 317	12.3
40 to 44 years old	6 154 004	52 504	29 489	82 932	199 249	175 366	482 810	374 595	533 646	479 857	2 538 853	273 714	282 049	123 446	342 262	183 232	12.3
45 to 49 years old	6 250 413	54 605	35 826	107 781	238 783	212 875	591 150	364 909	502 835	492 575	2 518 315	285 901	283 652	113 097	282 966	165 143	12.2
50 to 54 years old	5 735 821	55 708	37 530	116 004	271 194	247 778	740 080	379 984	489 751	419 097	2 025 251	220 805	234 416	97 078	248 000	153 145	12.1
55 to 59 years old	5 229 509	63 927	44 560	143 382	329 892	297 954	874 216	364 131	452 346	330 532	1 481 268	179 639	208 024	93 962	226 558	139 118	11.1
60 to 64 years old	4 607 335	74 122	50 679	164 335	364 155	303 665	888 774	320 992	379 796	253 578	1 042 017	151 297	192 904	86 974	209 605	124 442	10.4
65 to 69 years old	3 878 119	95 503	60 963	203 750	391 762	285 995	867 172	256 922	276 521	168 357	715 601	112 500	155 072	60 353	149 409	78 239	9.1
70 to 74 years old	3 128 667	114 277	54 490	192 135	354 819	232 064	755 768	193 555	194 805	117 130	520 932	83 083	118 026	42 332	104 629	50 622	8.8
75 years old and over	4 657 458	254 972	94 798	343 563	599 328	318 400	1 174 491	262 194	247 110	153 769	698 114	105 916	156 799	55 989	138 858	53 157	8.6
Percent	100.0	1.4	0.6	2.0	4.4	4.4	12.3	7.6	8.9	7.6	32.6	4.7	4.4	2.2	4.8	2.1	...
14 to 19 years old	100.0	0.7	0.2	0.3	2.1	8.0	17.6	18.1	16.7	15.6	16.3	3.9	0.4	0.1			...
20 to 24 years old	100.0	0.8	0.2	0.4	1.0	1.1	2.7	3.8	5.5	5.6	44.6	9.8	10.1	6.2	7.1	1.2	...
25 years old and over	100.0	1.6	0.8	2.6	5.4	4.2	12.6	6.1	7.8	6.2	34.1	4.2	4.4	2.0	5.4	2.7	...
25 to 29 years old	100.0	0.8	0.2	0.5	1.5	1.4	3.8	5.0	7.1	6.2	45.4	6.3	5.4	3.0	9.5	3.8	...
30 to 34 years old	100.0	0.8	0.3	0.9	2.2	1.9	5.1	5.7	8.0	6.6	45.3	5.3	4.8	2.7	7.3	3.2	...
35 to 39 years old	100.0	0.8	0.4	1.2	2.8	2.4	6.5	5.9	8.4	7.0	43.8	4.8	4.6	2.2	6.3	3.0	...
40 to 44 years old	100.0	0.9	0.5	1.3	3.2	2.8	7.8	6.1	8.7	7.8	41.3	4.4	4.6	2.0	5.6	3.0	...
45 to 49 years old	100.0	0.9	0.6	1.7	3.8	3.4	9.5	5.8	8.0	7.9	40.3	4.6	4.5	1.8	4.5	2.6	...
50 to 54 years old	100.0	1.0	0.7	2.0	4.7	4.3	12.9	6.6	8.5	7.3	35.3	3.8	4.1	1.7	4.3	2.7	...
55 to 59 years old	100.0	1.2	0.9	2.7	6.3	5.7	16.7	7.0	8.6	6.3	28.3	3.4	4.0	1.8	4.3	2.7	...
60 to 64 years old	100.0	1.6	1.1	3.6	7.9	6.6	19.3	7.0	8.2	5.5	22.6	3.3	4.2	1.9	4.5	2.7	...
65 to 69 years old	100.0	2.5	1.6	5.3	10.1	7.4	22.4	6.6	7.1	4.3	18.5	2.9	4.0	1.6	3.9	2.0	...
70 to 74 years old	100.0	3.7	1.7	6.1	11.3	7.4	24.2	6.2	6.2	3.7	16.7	2.7	3.8	1.4	3.3	1.6	...
75 years old and over	100.0	5.5	2.0	7.4	12.9	6.8	25.2	5.6	5.3	3.3	15.0	2.3	3.4	1.2	3.0	1.1	...

Table 199. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Race, Sex, and Age: 1970 – Continued

(Data based on sample, see text. For minimum base for derived figures (percent, median, etc.) and meaning of symbols, see text)

United States
Urban and Rural

	Years of school completed															Median school years completed
		Elementary school					High school				College					
	Total	None	1 and 2	3 and 4	5 and 6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5 or more	
UNITED STATES – Continued																	
White																	
Total, 14 years old and over	**132 659 533**	**1 600 924**	**752 422**	**2 445 139**	**5 500 405**	**5 906 799**	**16 763 620**	**9 852 241**	**11 179 464**	**9 427 804**	**40 596 289**	**6 497 559**	**6 391 713**	**3 119 089**	**7 378 415**	**5 047 650**	**12.1**
14 to 19 years old	20 096 971	138 664	35 222	61 589	452 504	1 718 895	3 571 687	3 615 134	3 345 377	3 122 376	3 133 318	816 810	73 429	9 220	2 746		10.1
20 to 24 years old	14 116 927	107 829	27 093	51 777	134 755	147 789	377 534	496 000	668 389	694 604	5 845 280	1 548 677	1 620 518	1 036 091	1 079 706	280 885	12.7
25 years old and over	98 245 635	1 354 431	690 107	2 331 773	4 913 146	4 040 115	12 814 399	5 741 107	7 165 698	5 610 824	31 617 691	4 132 072	4 697 766	2 073 778	6 295 963	4 766 765	12.1
Male, 14 years old and over	**63 578 712**	**762 743**	**410 784**	**1 295 468**	**2 809 242**	**3 086 634**	**8 209 565**	**4 789 135**	**5 229 408**	**4 414 076**	**17 314 893**	**3 083 111**	**3 214 603**	**1 544 035**	**3 897 035**	**3 517 980**	**12.0**
14 to 19 years old	10 215 059	73 207	19 045	34 569	282 433	959 786	1 836 040	1 839 775	1 689 483	1 569 899	1 462 374	407 667	33 287	4 165	1 329		10.0
20 to 24 years old	6 836 431	56 414	15 092	28 387	70 589	80 032	196 155	237 600	301 220	332 446	2 579 702	808 131	854 051	559 780	527 879	188 953	12.8
25 years old and over	46 527 222	633 122	376 647	1 232 512	2 456 220	2 046 816	6 175 370	2 711 760	3 238 705	2 511 731	13 272 817	1 867 313	2 327 265	980 090	3 367 827	3 329 027	12.1
25 to 29 years old	5 827 775	48 454	13 836	30 859	84 280	92 973	244 298	259 680	326 584	278 011	2 228 734	389 705	397 967	216 048	612 692	603 654	12.7
30 to 34 years old	4 943 516	39 895	16 939	44 436	111 614	103 230	286 515	255 338	314 244	243 853	1 865 884	267 736	290 942	129 625	461 201	512 064	12.6
35 to 39 years old	4 816 426	39 145	22 443	64 550	148 686	130 263	366 350	260 814	314 905	241 174	1 675 041	214 278	275 315	107 488	463 401	492 573	12.5
40 to 44 years old	5 210 730	41 791	27 928	80 161	185 462	171 101	501 907	329 823	422 261	325 097	1 607 664	207 802	285 211	108 946	468 194	447 382	12.3
45 to 49 years old	5 249 245	43 546	32 446	94 693	201 348	182 592	557 816	301 448	405 857	366 533	1 672 906	209 610	283 978	103 801	407 620	385 049	12.3
50 to 54 years old	4 828 370	40 521	31 474	101 021	219 406	211 331	666 284	305 124	388 316	336 578	1 473 174	172 941	242 407	87 049	278 406	274 338	12.1
55 to 59 years old	4 323 175	42 80	35 842	121 989	269 825	261 131	787 122	294 801	349 103	266 639	1 072 454	135 286	186 565	70 543	214 266	214 808	11.0
60 to 64 years old	3 663 861	49 917	39 264	137 295	292 342	264 224	789 442	253 244	289 307	197 177	701 427	104 121	143 439	60 070	171 013	171 579	10.0
65 to 69 years old	2 800 064	56 151	39 395	152 237	294 501	237 932	711 634	183 621	184 300	110 899	404 668	66 295	91 822	39 101	120 746	103 002	8.9
70 to 74 years old	2 108 971	64 810	39 395	145 955	256 562	177 418	552 384	129 577	122 673	72 088	273 341	47 829	61 347	26 464	78 774	60 354	8.7
75 years old and over	2 755 089	166 091	73 925	259 316	392 194	214 621	711 618	138 290	121 155	73 682	297 524	51 710	68 272	30 953	91 514	64 224	8.4
Female, 14 years old and over	**68 880 821**	**838 181**	**341 638**	**1 149 671**	**2 691 163**	**2 820 165**	**8 554 055**	**5 063 106**	**5 950 056**	**5 013 728**	**23 281 396**	**3 414 448**	**3 177 110**	**1 575 054**	**3 481 380**	**1 529 670**	**12.1**
14 to 19 years old	9 881 912	65 457	16 177	27 020	170 071	759 109	1 733 647	1 775 359	1 655 894	1 552 477	1 670 944	409 143	40 142	5 055	1 417		10.2
20 to 24 years old	7 280 496	51 415	12 001	23 390	64 166	67 757	181 379	258 400	367 169	362 158	3 265 578	740 546	766 467	476 311	551 827	91 932	12.7
25 years old and over	51 718 413	721 309	313 460	1 099 261	2 456 926	1 993 299	6 639 029	3 029 347	3 926 993	3 099 093	18 344 874	2 264 759	2 370 501	1 093 688	2 928 136	1 437 738	12.1
25 to 29 years old	5 952 772	42 584	12 124	27 806	75 429	75 248	214 051	274 602	389 947	330 752	2 764 488	392 997	330 948	188 665	596 906	236 195	12.6
30 to 34 years old	5 071 985	36 801	13 378	38 579	94 885	83 216	246 229	266 684	377 241	298 264	2 380 107	278 277	252 028	143 686	393 572	169 038	12.5
35 to 39 years old	4 959 007	37 274	17 112	48 983	117 300	101 271	305 960	270 175	391 626	317 757	2 270 494	247 731	236 200	117 646	326 995	152 483	12.4
40 to 44 years old	5 412 420	40 076	21 260	58 541	141 689	127 862	407 907	308 229	449 946	400 663	2 347 097	252 524	259 983	114 975	317 019	164 649	12.3
45 to 49 years old	5 583 371	41 949	24 291	74 196	167 955	158 872	512 417	305 412	436 126	429 160	2 371 530	270 355	267 153	107 434	265 826	150 695	12.3
50 to 54 years old	5 153 334	41 206	23 644	74 931	190 774	193 231	660 673	328 863	436 605	374 062	1 927 279	210 672	222 498	92 668	234 974	141 256	12.1
55 to 59 years old	4 716 181	47 179	27 222	94 836	243 298	244 810	798 213	322 562	412 903	300 556	1 415 266	172 597	199 823	90 691	215 797	130 428	11.6
60 to 64 years old	4 173 191	55 492	31 159	111 682	280 400	257 729	824 689	289 821	352 204	234 118	1 000 919	146 481	185 601	84 349	200 404	118 143	10.7
65 to 69 years old	3 497 162	71 018	37 442	141 734	311 311	249 463	814 211	234 594	258 938	156 440	687 589	108 866	149 746	58 334	142 805	74 671	9.5
70 to 74 years old	2 875 600	93 893	37 091	148 077	301 560	209 005	720 798	180 398	184 962	111 060	503 354	80 902	114 198	41 049	100 443	48 810	8.9
75 years old and over	4 323 390	213 837	68 737	279 896	532 325	292 592	1 133 881	248 007	236 497	146 261	676 751	103 357	152 323	54 161	133 395	51 370	8.7
Negro																	
Total, 14 years old and over	**15 129 883**	**401 495**	**366 521**	**870 446**	**1 417 303**	**1 097 242**	**1 718 889**	**1 467 924**	**1 597 050**	**1 450 374**	**3 276 381**	**429 040**	**368 477**	**160 119**	**314 709**	**193 913**	**10.1**
14 to 19 years old	2 999 766	36 051	10 911	28 641	168 798	328 212	555 690	565 599	493 741	415 370	330 640	56 406	8 208	1 205	294		9.7
20 to 24 years old	1 755 024	26 664	7 736	15 305	38 891	38 994	73 988	110 357	163 679	195 102	749 130	125 061	104 377	53 371	44 444	7 925	12.3
25 years old and over	10 375 093	338 780	347 874	826 500	1 209 614	730 036	1 089 211	791 968	939 630	839 902	2 196 611	247 573	255 892	105 543	269 971	185 988	9.8
Male, 14 years old and over	**7 010 499**	**217 635**	**215 500**	**469 682**	**704 666**	**521 326**	**797 007**	**667 770**	**716 549**	**637 304**	**1 411 802**	**190 375**	**169 965**	**74 930**	**120 168**	**95 820**	**9.9**
14 to 19 years old	1 492 383	18 921	6 142	17 150	102 775	179 232	281 675	282 378	241 873	194 557	140 723	23 108	3 212	503	134		9.5
20 to 24 years old	804 413	13 462	4 292	9 119	21 530	19 853	36 888	52 602	77 436	94 446	329 670	56 835	45 029	23 161	16 278	3 812	12.2
25 years old and over	4 713 703	185 252	205 066	443 413	580 361	322 241	478 444	332 790	397 240	348 301	941 409	110 432	121 724	51 266	103 756	92 008	9.4
25 to 29 years old	647 187	10 363	4 838	10 081	23 629	20 918	36 527	46 966	69 425	70 132	248 136	29 677	26 333	13 258	23 850	13 054	12.1
30 to 34 years old	562 961	8 739	6 161	15 642	31 293	24 769	41 490	46 898	65 038	59 325	183 069	20 138	20 002	8 869	17 518	14 010	11.7
35 to 39 years old	545 425	9 113	9 506	24 261	44 762	32 275	50 520	44 527	59 003	53 091	143 332	16 536	19 098	7 378	16 362	15 661	11.0
40 to 44 years old	545 347	10 592	13 189	33 362	58 516	41 776	60 398	46 663	58 635	48 629	110 956	13 019	16 042	6 573	12 617	14 380	10.1
45 to 49 years old	516 404	13 160	17 599	42 273	67 442	42 454	61 804	41 506	47 727	41 279	91 947	10 256	16 890	4 849	10 007	11 261	9.3
50 to 54 years old	458 241	15 292	23 038	51 568	71 969	40 361	57 363	33 933	35 885	29 994	63 251	7 937	9 769	3 441	7 313	8 127	8.5
55 to 59 years old	408 440	17 935	26 668	60 157	75 984	37 836	52 303	26 926	24 445	19 746	41 761	4 691	6 229	2 373	5 440	5 946	7.6
60 to 64 years old	337 974	19 830	26 929	58 801	68 438	30 841	43 965	19 080	16 246	12 011	24 806	3 077	4 264	1 617	4 070	3 999	6.9
65 to 69 years old	279 685	24 984	29 962	57 734	57 830	22 430	32 321	12 218	9 622	6 566	14 770	2 022	3 014	1 111	2 614	2 487	6.0
70 to 74 years old	188 758	20 973	21 376	40 486	38 644	14 041	20 480	6 885	5 582	3 612	9 261	1 477	1 916	782	1 772	1 471	5.6
75 years old and over	223 281	34 271	26 800	49 048	41 854	14 540	21 273	7 188	5 632	3 966	10 120	1 602	2 167	1 015	2 193	1 612	5.1
Female, 14 years old and over	**8 119 384**	**183 860**	**151 021**	**400 764**	**712 637**	**575 916**	**921 882**	**800 154**	**880 501**	**813 070**	**1 864 579**	**238 665**	**198 512**	**85 189**	**194 541**	**98 093**	**10.4**
14 to 19 years old	1 507 383	17 130	4 769	11 491	66 023	148 980	274 015	283 221	251 868	220 813	189 917	33 298	4 996	702	166		9.8
20 to 24 years old	950 611	13 202	3 444	6 186	17 361	19 141	37 100	57 755	86 243	100 656	419 460	68 226	59 348	30 210	28 166	4 113	12.3
25 years old and over	5 661 390	153 528	142 808	383 087	629 253	407 795	610 767	459 178	542 390	491 601	1 255 202	137 141	134 168	54 277	166 215	93 980	10.1
25 to 29 years old	762 887	9 768	3 266	7 364	20 521	21 629	42 982	58 707	85 859	85 776	303 803	33 393	28 044	13 633	37 274	10 868	12.2
30 to 34 years old	685 120	7 588	3 901	10 332	26 999	26 114	48 381	61 179	85 357	80 826	241 443	25 348	20 863	8 991	25 984	11 814	11.9
35 to 39 years old	657 996	7 161	5 453	14 746	36 646	34 909	58 907	60 062	82 768	77 178	194 064	20 542	19 298	7 106	24 341	14 815	11.4
40 to 44 years old	653 911	8 444	7 892	22 124	52 584	45 095	68 571	61 639	77 213	74 552	158 791	17 883	17 309	6 686	20 365	14 763	10.8
45 to 49 years old	598 115	9 396	10 652	31 129	66 170	51 264	72 652	55 183	62 573	59 960	122 114	13 031	13 190	4 513	14 431	11 877	10.0
50 to 54 years old	531 421	11 226	13 146	39 050	76 068	52 227	72 276	47 387	50 241	42 747	83 446	8 764	9 788	3 684	11 190	10 181	9.0
55 to 59 years old	473 287	12 823	16 221	46 103	81 959	50 750	70 187	39 110	36 975	28 376	57 559	6 256	7 091	2 735	9 513	7 629	8.4
60 to 64 years old	404 380	14 880	18 511	50 415	79 572	44 205	59 343	29 403	25 951	18 446	36 561	4 299	6 440	2 327	8 391	5 636	7.9
65 to 69 years old	354 097	20 309	22 478	59 365	76 135	34 978	48 803	21 078	16 232	11 171	24 457	3 359	4 772	1 824	5 986	3 150	7.0
70 to 74 years old	233 426	16 896	16 795	42 120	50 014	22 150	31 814	12 266	9 088	5 620	14 799	1 985	3 395	1 125	3 731	1 634	6.7
75 years old and over	306 750	35 037	24 993	66 339	62 585	24 474	36 851	13 170	9 633	6 949	18 165	2 301	3 978	1 653	5 009	1 613	6.1

Table 199. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Race, Sex, and Age: 1970 – Continued

(Data based on sample, see text. For minimum base for derived figures (percent, median, etc.) and meaning of symbols, see text)

United States Urban and Rural	Total	Years of school completed														Median school years completed
		None	Elementary school					High school				College				
			1 and 2	3 and 4	5 and 6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5 or more	
UNITED STATES – Continued																
Persons of Spanish Heritage																
Total, 14 years old and over	**5 957 030**	**308 217**	**155 916**	**354 984**	**601 567**	**361 484**	**683 692**	**531 187**	**510 010**	**418 826**	**1 290 169**	**208 282**	**183 818**	**84 962**	**141 330**	**122 596**	**10.0**
14 to 19 years old	1 202 133	14 211	5 946	13 117	74 721	142 062	231 278	226 037	191 687	162 305	117 167	20 630	2 495	394	93		9.5
20 to 24 years old	817 248	14 624	6 809	18 305	46 901	26 382	49 852	56 140	64 224	61 250	305 178	66 833	48 613	25 113	20 008	7 016	12.2
25 years old and over	3 937 649	279 382	143 161	323 562	479 945	193 040	402 562	249 020	254 099	195 271	867 824	120 819	132 710	59 455	121 219	115 580	9.6
Male, 14 years old and over	**2 906 861**	**141 281**	**76 753**	**169 350**	**281 280**	**179 996**	**330 574**	**257 649**	**246 605**	**206 242**	**590 061**	**112 134**	**103 645**	**47 262**	**77 865**	**86 144**	**10.1**
14 to 19 years old	598 998	6 810	2 973	6 575	39 533	75 391	115 648	113 694	95 327	79 160	52 326	10 157	1 175	182	47		9.5
20 to 24 years old	384 432	7 073	3 293	8 879	21 072	11 968	22 818	25 698	29 706	30 207	135 413	35 257	25 613	13 363	9 644	4 428	12.2
25 years old and over	1 923 411	127 398	70 487	153 896	220 675	92 637	192 108	118 257	121 572	96 875	402 322	66 720	76 857	33 717	68 174	81 716	9.9
25 to 29 years old	337 748	7 147	3 853	10 154	25 114	13 205	25 384	24 820	26 245	22 212	103 135	20 239	17 938	8 795	14 688	14 819	12.1
30 to 34 years old	293 935	7 900	5 623	14 246	27 614	12 081	25 360	21 846	22 423	18 234	78 662	13 670	13 788	6 318	11 546	14 624	11.5
35 to 39 years old	273 955	10 125	7 944	19 267	30 779	12 873	25 750	18 400	18 381	13 672	62 460	10 314	12 818	5 544	11 749	13 879	10.6
40 to 44 years old	255 706	12 815	9 516	21 280	31 942	13 389	26 676	16 739	16 817	13 131	49 343	7 786	10 173	4 013	9 251	12 835	9.7
45 to 49 years old	212 205	12 294	9 324	19 012	26 020	11 140	23 496	12 245	13 815	11 565	40 133	5 521	7 842	3 116	7 211	9 471	9.4
50 to 54 years old	148 927	9 876	6 572	15 250	19 189	8 026	17 927	8 510	8 709	6 835	26 095	3 645	5 302	2 287	4 585	6 119	8.9
55 to 59 years old	120 616	11 464	6 643	14 853	17 263	7 462	15 406	5 989	6 177	4 778	16 960	2 263	3 438	1 187	3 149	3 584	8.2
60 to 64 years old	98 960	13 936	6 492	13 479	15 588	5 696	11 972	4 308	4 025	2 949	11 019	1 282	2 359	925	2 359	2 771	7.0
65 to 69 years old	77 746	15 038	6 424	11 587	11 931	4 136	8 894	2 563	2 293	1 517	6 716	823	1 499	750	1 665	1 910	6.1
70 to 74 years old	48 070	10 612	3 629	7 127	7 511	2 380	5 692	1 454	1 451	899	3 789	563	860	348	942	813	5.9
75 years old and over	55 543	16 191	4 467	7 641	7 724	2 249	5 551	1 383	1 236	1 083	4 010	614	840	434	1 229	891	4.9
Female, 14 years old and over	**3 050 189**	**166 936**	**79 163**	**185 634**	**320 287**	**181 488**	**353 118**	**273 538**	**263 405**	**212 584**	**700 108**	**96 148**	**80 173**	**37 700**	**63 455**	**36 452**	**9.9**
14 to 19 years old	603 135	7 401	2 973	6 542	35 188	66 671	115 630	112 333	96 360	83 145	64 843	10 473	1 320	212	46		9.6
20 to 24 years old	432 816	7 551	3 516	9 426	25 829	14 414	27 034	30 442	34 518	31 043	169 765	31 576	23 000	11 750	10 364	2 588	12.2
25 years old and over	2 014 238	151 984	72 674	169 666	259 270	100 403	210 454	130 763	132 527	98 396	465 502	54 099	55 853	25 738	53 045	33 864	9.3
25 to 29 years old	358 399	7 751	4 926	13 137	31 509	15 861	28 820	28 818	30 488	22 372	119 816	15 119	13 067	6 647	13 320	6 748	11.8
30 to 34 years old	311 405	9 838	6 264	18 172	34 580	14 493	28 988	25 214	24 134	18 037	90 793	10 240	10 201	5 355	9 852	5 246	10.8
35 to 39 years old	284 010	11 836	8 165	21 886	36 444	14 002	28 599	21 340	21 114	15 651	72 464	8 140	8 140	3 667	7 635	4 927	10.0
40 to 44 years old	260 106	14 360	10 032	22 432	34 927	12 931	28 907	18 301	18 115	13 525	58 990	5 877	7 342	3 039	6 567	4 761	9.4
45 to 49 years old	214 114	14 328	9 350	21 629	28 427	11 607	24 328	12 188	13 370	10 890	45 300	5 630	5 933	2 308	4 912	3 914	8.9
50 to 54 years old	154 000	13 746	6 972	16 579	22 865	8 804	18 749	8 377	8 928	6 446	27 751	3 238	3 815	1 624	3 244	2 862	8.4
55 to 59 years old	129 330	15 338	6 884	15 075	20 965	8 082	16 862	6 294	6 113	4 447	18 621	2 214	2 561	1 227	2 581	2 066	7.8
60 to 64 years old	101 961	16 434	6 734	13 790	16 941	5 580	11 902	4 126	4 385	2 997	11 531	1 554	1 823	721	1 914	1 529	6.7
65 to 69 years old	81 901	16 342	5 857	11 267	13 869	4 188	9 757	2 755	2 484	1 853	8 804	954	1 221	491	1 225	834	6.2
70 to 74 years old	50 727	12 370	3 081	6 907	8 564	2 330	5 585	1 605	1 463	1 062	4 673	521	815	248	831	472	5.9
75 years old and over	68 285	19 641	4 409	8 792	10 179	2 525	7 957	1 745	1 933	1 116	6 561	612	935	471	964	505	5.4
URBAN																	
Total																	
Total, 14 years old and over	**110 726 156**	**1 474 103**	**734 773**	**2 177 492**	**4 787 792**	**4 706 786**	**12 482 871**	**8 205 431**	**9 431 912**	**8 081 429**	**33 492 527**	**5 686 025**	**5 636 064**	**2 773 826**	**6 477 497**	**4 577 628**	**12.1**
14 to 19 years old	17 003 716	113 267	31 985	54 789	391 971	1 414 972	2 938 747	3 022 681	2 794 992	2 589 985	2 797 576	768 832	72 082	9 212	2 625		10.2
20 to 24 years old	12 687 990	92 939	25 017	45 913	118 551	118 972	296 526	432 563	614 992	681 007	5 077 730	1 428 245	1 521 855	977 351	987 522	268 807	12.8
25 years old and over	81 034 450	1 267 897	677 771	2 076 790	4 277 270	3 172 842	9 247 598	4 750 187	6 021 928	4 810 437	25 617 221	3 488 948	4 042 127	1 787 263	5 487 350	4 308 821	12.2
Male, 14 years old and over	**52 329 990**	**681 186**	**384 215**	**1 090 917**	**2 332 763**	**2 370 715**	**5 867 379**	**3 917 836**	**4 361 841**	**3 757 402**	**14 057 503**	**2 712 601**	**2 827 009**	**1 397 920**	**3 475 837**	**3 152 866**	**12.1**
14 to 19 years old	8 535 571	58 644	16 795	29 691	237 500	760 455	1 497 881	1 526 654	1 403 311	1 286 700	1 285 693	374 854	31 931	4 190	1 272		10.1
20 to 24 years old	6 094 563	47 220	13 359	24 054	58 561	60 773	148 515	205 615	282 764	331 290	2 225 067	739 034	784 115	520 650	475 505	178 041	12.8
25 years old and over	37 699 856	575 322	356 061	1 037 172	2 036 702	1 529 487	4 220 983	2 185 567	2 675 766	2 139 412	10 546 743	1 598 713	2 010 963	873 080	2 939 060	2 974 825	12.2
25 to 29 years old	4 964 514	40 619	12 103	26 114	71 142	70 310	176 664	214 098	285 560	261 008	1 805 528	348 870	353 960	199 551	542 233	556 754	12.7
30 to 34 years old	4 094 580	33 345	14 930	38 037	95 366	78 592	204 036	209 423	272 038	224 917	1 452 810	231 808	254 256	117 940	403 882	463 206	12.6
35 to 39 years old	3 966 363	33 041	19 861	54 710	128 755	102 821	255 157	214 435	270 979	218 667	1 302 898	185 083	240 977	96 146	405 175	437 658	12.5
40 to 44 years old	4 287 886	35 687	24 991	70 319	162 531	137 497	350 995	271 731	352 309	274 117	1 269 808	180 322	249 346	97 683	412 218	398 332	12.4
45 to 49 years old	4 309 714	37 052	29 609	82 499	177 047	145 302	382 158	251 111	339 993	306 746	1 337 982	178 971	246 924	92 504	359 069	342 747	12.3
50 to 54 years old	3 904 760	36 288	30 739	89 325	189 454	161 361	446 400	250 107	319 902	279 157	1 181 157	147 380	209 941	76 551	243 275	243 723	12.1
55 to 59 years old	3 428 681	40 134	37 384	109 165	226 877	194 773	532 866	236 425	280 078	215 091	848 797	112 969	158 640	61 280	184 452	189 750	11.3
60 to 64 years old	2 859 723	48 470	39 850	118 541	239 699	192 556	536 488	197 264	226 606	156 543	555 306	83 575	119 099	51 029	145 607	149 090	10.3
65 to 69 years old	2 163 557	57 262	44 462	130 822	239 514	169 681	481 734	139 020	141 304	87 161	325 196	52 236	74 878	32 447	100 621	87 219	8.9
70 to 74 years old	1 621 107	63 040	38 269	120 527	205 368	125 980	371 549	97 022	93 584	57 144	222 454	37 499	49 054	22 241	65 986	51 590	8.7
75 years old and over	2 098 971	150 384	63 863	197 113	301 149	150 614	482 936	104 931	93 413	58 861	244 807	40 000	53 894	25 708	76 542	54 756	8.4
Female, 14 years old and over	**58 396 166**	**792 917**	**348 558**	**1 086 575**	**2 455 029**	**2 336 071**	**6 615 492**	**4 287 595**	**5 070 071**	**4 324 027**	**19 435 024**	**2 973 424**	**2 809 055**	**1 375 906**	**3 001 660**	**1 424 762**	**12.0**
14 to 19 years old	8 468 145	54 623	15 190	25 098	154 471	634 517	1 440 866	1 496 027	1 391 681	1 303 285	1 511 883	393 978	40 151	5 022	1 353		10.3
20 to 24 years old	6 593 427	45 719	11 658	21 859	59 990	58 199	148 011	226 948	332 228	349 717	2 852 663	689 211	737 740	456 701	512 017	90 766	12.7
25 years old and over	43 334 594	692 575	321 710	1 039 618	2 240 568	1 643 355	5 026 615	2 564 620	3 346 162	2 671 025	15 070 478	1 890 235	2 031 164	914 183	2 548 290	1 333 996	12.1
25 to 29 years old	5 155 457	37 470	11 252	26 542	72 650	65 005	173 410	237 023	343 959	305 928	2 290 500	342 342	303 735	170 128	546 810	228 703	12.6
30 to 34 years old	4 309 337	32 637	12 855	36 243	91 077	72 366	195 944	232 529	332 817	276 309	1 921 743	239 959	225 664	122 969	352 696	163 529	12.5
35 to 39 years old	4 204 230	33 674	16 442	46 322	111 683	88 902	238 727	235 529	345 378	287 675	1 839 092	211 276	210 722	99 036	292 114	148 158	12.4
40 to 44 years old	4 607 276	37 040	20 311	55 847	138 559	113 681	312 752	271 964	397 019	350 711	1 930 081	214 403	229 622	97 792	281 273	156 221	12.3
45 to 49 years old	4 706 277	38 588	23 751	70 833	161 320	137 722	384 384	267 451	377 476	365 433	1 961 181	226 861	231 605	89 577	229 928	140 167	12.3
50 to 54 years old	4 284 725	39 421	24 698	75 014	183 220	162 840	489 034	282 546	372 183	312 503	1 578 123	174 421	188 490	76 645	197 677	127 910	12.1
55 to 59 years old	3 877 297	46 773	29 817	95 000	228 715	202 666	599 555	269 503	342 394	244 149	1 152 616	138 394	163 315	72 018	176 901	115 481	11.5
60 to 64 years old	3 404 662	55 783	34 795	112 114	257 819	208 094	618 335	234 614	286 456	188 609	821 751	113 625	146 090	64 507	159 974	102 096	10.6
65 to 69 years old	2 885 495	74 145	42 818	143 082	284 273	199 099	615 811	189 391	210 240	128 028	574 528	83 721	116 985	44 604	114 677	64 093	9.4
70 to 74 years old	2 367 581	92 513	38 892	137 851	265 575	164 522	545 455	144 702	148 679	91 291	425 968	63 225	91 243	32 557	82 630	42 478	8.9
75 years old and over	3 532 257	204 531	66 079	240 770	445 677	228 458	853 708	199 368	189 561	120 389	574 895	82 008	123 693	44 356	113 610	45 160	8.7

Table 199. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Race, Sex, and Age: 1970 — Continued

(Data based on sample, see text. For minimum base for derived figures (percent, median, etc.) and meaning of symbols, see text)

United States
Urban and Rural

	Years of school completed																Median school years completed
			Elementary school					High school				College					
	Total	None	1 and 2	3 and 4	5 and 6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5 or more	
URBAN — Continued																	
Negro																	
Total, 14 years old and over	**12 367 356**	**268 266**	**233 467**	**591 340**	**1 034 210**	**821 052**	**1 371 928**	**1 197 669**	**1 342 506**	**1 237 900**	**2 928 963**	**396 555**	**340 161**	**146 189**	**278 918**	**178 232**	**10.5**
14 to 19 years old	2 338 684	24 940	7 436	15 509	107 362	243 346	430 283	444 857	391 547	332 088	282 208	50 416	7 366	1 053	273		9.8
20 to 24 years old	1 469 713	19 364	5 059	8 869	23 495	25 458	52 438	84 993	133 771	164 090	648 539	114 179	94 382	47 813	39 750	7 513	12.3
25 years old and over	8 558 959	223 962	220 972	566 962	903 353	552 248	889 207	667 819	817 188	741 722	1 998 216	231 960	238 413	97 323	238 895	170 719	10.3
Male, 14 years old and over	**5 652 628**	**141 021**	**132 845**	**310 196**	**508 220**	**389 459**	**633 041**	**540 306**	**599 136**	**542 790**	**1 256 074**	**175 908**	**157 318**	**68 965**	**108 873**	**88 476**	**10.3**
14 to 19 years old	1 148 320	12 950	3 928	8 870	64 808	131 940	215 718	219 895	191 585	155 558	118 869	20 731	2 890	450	128		9.6
20 to 24 years old	659 033	9 611	2 658	4 939	11 805	12 212	24 540	38 610	61 439	78 259	283 062	51 793	40 810	20 888	14 797	3 610	12.3
25 years old and over	3 845 275	118 460	126 259	296 387	431 607	245 307	392 783	281 801	346 112	308 973	854 143	103 384	113 618	47 627	93 948	84 866	10.1
25 to 29 years old	545 127	7 496	3 005	5 811	14 595	13 639	26 331	36 818	57 557	60 112	220 527	27 925	24 853	12 327	21 717	12 414	12.2
30 to 34 years old	475 762	5 978	3 482	9 434	21 275	17 197	31 962	38 036	55 470	52 248	165 276	19 006	18 885	8 313	16 028	13 172	12.0
35 to 39 years old	459 358	6 105	5 503	15 169	31 900	23 807	40 232	37 458	51 554	47 440	130 571	15 463	17 939	6 890	14 890	14 437	11.4
40 to 44 years old	457 112	6 920	7 805	21 349	42 485	32 091	49 879	40 616	52 173	43 462	101 952	12 285	15 023	6 234	11 625	13 213	10.5
45 to 49 years old	428 881	8 269	10 489	27 841	50 372	32 896	52 181	36 343	42 766	37 310	84 836	9 602	11 934	4 508	9 145	10 389	9.9
50 to 54 years old	372 422	9 696	12 854	34 207	54 618	31 440	48 380	29 828	32 256	27 082	58 441	7 396	9 085	3 196	6 571	7 372	8.9
55 to 59 years old	324 742	11 207	16 643	41 007	57 545	29 933	44 373	23 536	21 746	17 796	38 472	4 394	5 777	2 178	4 828	5 307	8.1
60 to 64 years old	264 275	12 513	16 905	40 568	52 236	24 447	37 263	16 708	14 498	10 939	22 918	2 833	3 918	1 490	3 530	3 509	7.4
65 to 69 years old	212 816	15 910	19 108	39 818	44 807	17 543	27 372	10 553	8 417	5 895	13 544	1 762	2 666	962	2 210	2 249	6.4
70 to 74 years old	141 632	13 220	13 545	28 272	29 628	11 049	16 965	5 857	4 852	3 257	8 385	1 364	1 674	656	1 550	1 358	6.1
75 years old and over	103 148	21 146	16 920	32 911	32 146	11 265	17 845	6 048	4 823	3 432	9 221	1 354	1 864	873	1 854	1 446	5.7
Female, 14 years old and over	**6 714 728**	**127 245**	**100 622**	**281 144**	**525 990**	**431 593**	**738 887**	**657 363**	**743 370**	**695 110**	**1 672 889**	**220 647**	**182 843**	**77 224**	**170 045**	**89 756**	**10.7**
14 to 19 years old	1 190 364	11 990	3 508	6 639	42 554	111 406	214 565	224 962	199 962	176 530	163 339	29 685	4 476	603	145		9.9
20 to 24 years old	810 680	9 753	2 401	3 930	11 690	13 246	27 898	46 383	72 332	85 831	365 477	62 386	53 572	26 925	24 953	3 903	12.4
25 years old and over	4 713 684	105 502	94 713	270 575	471 746	306 941	496 424	386 018	471 076	432 749	1 144 073	128 576	124 795	49 696	144 947	85 853	10.5
25 to 29 years old	661 425	7 127	2 253	4 833	14 381	15 512	33 483	48 402	73 053	74 884	272 921	31 587	26 466	12 621	33 677	10 225	12.2
30 to 34 years old	591 237	5 432	2 493	6 649	19 192	18 925	37 997	50 821	73 656	70 725	218 949	24 114	19 559	8 416	23 289	11 020	12.0
35 to 39 years old	561 729	5 068	3 484	9 761	26 045	25 451	46 218	49 929	71 950	67 730	176 760	19 375	18 145	6 579	21 654	13 580	11.6
40 to 44 years old	552 702	5 938	4 606	14 595	38 368	33 243	54 687	51 527	67 915	65 455	165 973	16 743	16 221	6 168	17 662	13 601	11.1
45 to 49 years old	501 416	6 288	6 757	21 307	48 906	38 440	59 654	46 944	54 844	53 389	113 015	12 118	12 423	4 136	12 752	10 843	10.4
50 to 54 years old	438 692	7 864	8 545	26 721	56 941	39 340	59 348	40 637	44 406	38 126	77 499	8 182	9 108	3 458	9 434	9 083	9.5
55 to 59 years old	384 336	8 753	10 736	32 906	61 793	38 370	57 962	33 392	32 591	25 299	53 182	5 780	6 347	2 472	7 917	6 836	8.7
60 to 64 years old	324 549	10 194	12 319	36 523	60 531	34 404	49 177	25 053	22 709	16 397	33 593	3 956	5 896	2 033	6 733	5 031	8.2
65 to 69 years old	279 737	14 036	15 414	42 951	58 878	27 177	40 692	17 870	13 995	9 810	22 410	2 949	4 224	1 565	5 001	2 765	7.3
70 to 74 years old	181 883	11 381	11 334	30 436	38 405	17 188	26 560	10 265	7 780	4 930	13 441	1 763	2 982	911	3 089	1 418	7.0
75 years old and over	235 978	23 421	16 772	43 893	48 306	18 891	30 646	11 178	8 177	6 004	16 330	2 009	3 424	1 337	4 139	1 451	6.4
Persons of Spanish Heritage																	
Total, 14 years old and over	**5 246 848**	**250 655**	**127 216**	**295 376**	**522 266**	**309 976**	**597 283**	**471 765**	**455 044**	**372 935**	**1 168 079**	**190 231**	**167 731**	**78 071**	**127 623**	**112 387**	**10.1**
14 to 19 years old	1 039 337	11 348	4 906	10 250	59 234	120 219	199 828	196 817	167 621	141 916	105 418	19 037	2 292	370	81		9.6
20 to 24 years old	728 552	12 155	5 623	15 009	39 482	22 113	42 684	49 553	57 573	54 818	275 809	61 116	44 619	23 284	18 150	6 562	12.2
25 years old and over	3 478 959	227 152	116 687	270 117	423 650	167 644	354 771	225 395	229 850	176 201	786 852	110 176	120 820	54 417	109 402	105 825	9.8
Male, 14 years old and over	**2 538 291**	**110 947**	**60 097**	**136 903**	**239 864**	**153 251**	**286 209**	**227 515**	**218 935**	**182 959**	**531 217**	**102 472**	**94 911**	**43 604**	**70 669**	**78 838**	**10.2**
14 to 19 years old	513 787	5 365	2 385	4 911	30 944	63 474	99 520	98 313	82 674	68 824	46 805	9 275	1 091	171	35		9.5
20 to 24 years old	340 024	5 832	2 596	7 067	17 589	9 849	19 130	22 488	26 545	26 872	121 222	32 039	23 526	12 378	8 755	4 136	12.3
25 years old and over	1 684 580	99 750	55 116	124 925	191 331	79 928	167 559	106 714	109 716	87 263	363 190	61 158	70 294	31 055	61 879	74 702	10.2
25 to 29 years old	301 627	6 029	2 954	8 138	21 280	11 123	22 007	22 183	23 726	20 109	93 401	18 832	16 548	8 181	13 349	13 767	12.1
30 to 34 years old	261 252	6 511	4 504	11 331	23 833	10 474	22 198	19 592	20 412	16 547	70 766	12 486	12 607	5 860	10 530	13 601	11.7
35 to 39 years old	242 024	7 948	6 016	15 197	27 037	11 214	22 764	16 944	16 535	12 368	56 337	9 382	11 858	5 173	10 714	12 537	10.8
40 to 44 years old	225 678	10 008	7 370	17 507	27 994	11 690	23 602	15 107	15 279	11 840	44 783	7 255	9 369	3 663	8 475	11 736	10.0
45 to 49 years old	185 178	9 162	7 251	15 491	22 541	9 686	20 737	11 087	12 453	10 388	36 354	4 951	7 110	2 787	6 566	8 614	9.7
50 to 54 years old	129 371	7 339	5 246	12 460	16 709	6 959	15 485	7 845	7 845	6 172	23 372	3 323	4 786	2 113	4 195	5 522	9.1
55 to 59 years old	103 595	8 523	5 285	12 310	14 775	6 413	13 546	5 405	5 576	4 244	15 249	2 088	3 090	1 087	2 769	3 235	8.3
60 to 64 years old	83 706	10 927	5 175	10 833	13 364	4 945	10 142	3 887	3 493	2 595	9 853	1 134	2 156	819	1 913	2 470	7.3
65 to 69 years old	65 371	11 950	4 932	9 590	10 408	3 578	7 466	2 241	1 976	1 315	6 051	663	1 349	690	1 450	1 712	6.3
70 to 74 years old	40 670	8 464	2 868	5 945	6 659	2 003	4 968	1 235	1 301	769	3 444	476	713	292	836	697	6.1
75 years old and over	46 108	12 889	3 515	6 123	6 731	1 843	4 644	1 188	1 120	916	3 580	568	708	390	1 082	811	5.2
Female, 14 years old and over	**2 708 457**	**139 708**	**67 119**	**158 473**	**282 502**	**156 725**	**311 074**	**244 250**	**236 109**	**189 976**	**636 862**	**87 859**	**72 820**	**34 467**	**56 964**	**33 549**	**10.0**
14 to 19 years old	525 550	5 983	2 521	5 339	28 290	56 745	100 308	98 504	84 947	73 092	58 613	9 762	1 201	199	46		9.6
20 to 24 years old	388 528	6 323	3 027	7 942	21 893	12 264	23 554	27 065	31 026	27 946	154 587	29 079	21 093	10 906	9 395	2 426	12.2
25 years old and over	1 794 379	127 402	61 571	145 192	232 319	87 716	187 212	118 681	120 134	88 938	423 662	49 018	50 526	23 362	47 523	31 123	9.5
25 to 29 years old	322 277	6 585	4 106	11 090	27 840	13 529	25 332	26 151	27 595	20 274	109 088	13 823	11 976	6 199	12 225	6 414	11.9
30 to 34 years old	279 097	8 121	5 343	15 382	30 558	12 701	25 833	22 974	22 065	16 284	82 757	9 278	9 193	4 747	8 962	4 899	10.8
35 to 39 years old	252 723	9 944	6 709	18 195	32 457	12 347	25 432	19 481	18 931	14 176	65 574	7 486	7 297	3 371	6 737	4 586	10.1
40 to 44 years old	232 494	11 641	8 418	18 917	31 461	11 571	25 894	16 626	16 487	12 288	53 994	5 335	6 738	2 783	5 945	4 396	9.5
45 to 49 years old	190 017	11 686	7 927	18 556	25 440	10 019	21 595	11 112	12 193	9 861	41 140	4 959	5 405	2 129	4 421	3 574	9.0
50 to 54 years old	136 294	11 282	5 879	14 552	20 587	7 767	16 539	7 675	8 116	5 837	24 903	2 936	3 435	1 421	2 801	2 564	8.5
55 to 59 years old	113 823	12 678	5 934	13 066	18 844	6 918	15 024	5 578	5 565	3 982	16 936	1 925	2 225	1 111	2 239	1 798	7.9
60 to 64 years old	89 872	13 884	5 746	12 132	15 394	4 845	10 591	3 632	3 922	2 674	10 558	1 355	1 586	634	1 636	1 283	6.8
65 to 69 years old	72 650	14 171	5 106	9 852	12 579	3 720	8 669	2 494	2 203	1 623	8 166	850	1 112	400	975	730	6.3
70 to 74 years old	44 724	10 504	2 592	5 932	7 899	2 048	5 069	1 438	1 336	945	4 430	496	714	188	713	420	6.1
75 years old and over	60 458	16 906	3 811	7 518	9 260	2 251	7 234	1 520	1 791	994	6 116	575	845	379	869	459	5.6

Table 199. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Race, Sex, and Age: 1970 — Continued

[Data based on sample; see text. For minimum base for derived figures (percent, median, etc.) and meaning of symbols, see text]

United States Urban and Rural	Years of school completed																Median school years completed
			Elementary school					High school				College					
	Total	None	1 and 2	3 and 4	5 and 6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5 or more	
RURAL NONFARM																	
Total																	
Total, 14 years old and over	**32 464 830**	**540 396**	**354 264**	**1 021 526**	**1 905 894**	**1 982 714**	**4 898 042**	**2 739 666**	**2 950 419**	**2 449 912**	**9 114 510**	**1 110 063**	**1 047 458**	**476 209**	**1 162 495**	**711 252**	**10.9**
14 to 19 years old	5 278 924	57 180	12 813	31 681	209 608	552 566	1 025 301	996 224	688 386	793 279	600 366	99 895	9 687	1 282	456	–	9.8
20 to 24 years old	3 061 437	40 061	9 209	20 055	53 124	64 248	144 187	168 967	213 565	205 191	1 415 700	239 989	206 909	115 302	139 300	25 430	12.4
25 years old and over	24 124 469	443 155	332 242	970 490	1 643 162	1 365 900	3 728 554	1 574 475	1 848 468	1 451 442	7 098 444	770 179	830 862	359 425	1 022 739	685 822	11.1
Male, 14 years old and over	**15 963 140**	**296 253**	**217 486**	**592 734**	**1 035 843**	**1 053 371**	**2 510 134**	**1 337 504**	**1 387 276**	**1 129 222**	**4 062 595**	**512 885**	**528 127**	**216 811**	**584 297**	**496 602**	**10.7**
14 to 19 years old	2 730 072	31 026	7 569	19 552	133 994	312 749	535 477	509 914	446 151	395 981	280 099	52 317	4 522	507	214	–	9.6
20 to 24 years old	1 470 869	21 592	5 544	12 471	31 437	36 380	77 504	81 178	94 619	93 631	629 375	123 104	114 504	63 836	68 444	17 250	12.4
25 years old and over	11 762 199	243 635	204 373	560 711	870 412	704 242	1 897 153	748 412	846 506	639 610	3 153 121	337 464	409 101	152 468	515 639	479 352	10.8
25 to 29 years old	1 446 066	17 341	6 181	13 766	35 058	41 179	95 372	88 790	107 174	84 464	618 697	68 330	69 654	31 756	95 785	72 519	12.4
30 to 34 years old	1 329 241	15 003	7 605	20 386	45 274	46 350	110 453	87 507	102 740	75 197	534 343	53 206	55 782	21 536	76 838	77 021	12.3
35 to 39 years old	1 270 530	15 443	11 131	31 469	60 590	54 780	136 121	83 298	95 431	70 011	446 094	41 676	51 986	18 422	75 429	78 649	12.2
40 to 44 years old	1 291 565	16 984	14 911	39 358	74 690	67 471	169 619	92 912	114 681	88 196	375 293	36 085	49 526	17 087	67 412	67 340	11.6
45 to 49 years old	1 241 853	19 460	18 420	48 848	81 463	68 708	179 916	79 549	99 037	88 681	351 717	34 842	45 887	14 959	55 818	54 548	11.3
50 to 54 years old	1 138 330	19 114	20 388	54 772	87 155	74 023	202 130	74 610	87 436	74 239	289 333	27 987	37 726	12 578	38 300	38 539	10.4
55 to 59 years old	1 046 720	20 712	22 567	62 189	98 928	82 403	223 045	68 530	75 936	58 699	210 644	22 027	30 084	10 252	31 185	29 519	9.2
60 to 64 years old	921 215	22 058	23 783	66 735	100 597	80 467	218 275	60 038	63 861	43 374	138 559	19 137	24 672	9 237	25 945	24 477	8.8
65 to 69 years old	755 794	24 986	25 703	68 587	95 078	71 805	200 658	46 214	43 238	24 979	80 101	13 339	17 270	6 709	20 260	16 867	8.5
70 to 74 years old	565 596	23 209	20 249	57 179	76 800	52 288	157 733	32 312	28 425	15 579	52 401	9 800	12 321	4 421	13 275	9 604	8.3
75 years old and over	755 289	49 325	33 435	97 422	114 779	64 768	203 831	34 652	28 547	16 191	55 939	11 035	14 193	5 511	15 392	10 269	8.1
Female, 14 years old and over	**16 501 690**	**244 143**	**136 778**	**428 802**	**870 051**	**929 343**	**2 387 908**	**1 402 162**	**1 563 143**	**1 320 690**	**5 051 915**	**597 178**	**519 331**	**259 398**	**578 198**	**214 650**	**11.2**
14 to 19 years old	2 548 852	26 154	5 244	12 329	75 614	239 817	489 824	486 310	442 235	397 298	320 267	47 578	5 165	775	242	–	9.9
20 to 24 years old	1 590 568	18 469	3 665	7 584	21 687	27 868	66 683	87 789	118 946	111 560	786 325	116 885	92 405	51 666	70 856	8 180	12.4
25 years old and over	12 362 270	199 520	127 869	408 889	772 750	661 658	1 831 401	826 063	1 001 962	811 832	3 945 323	432 715	421 761	206 957	507 100	206 470	11.4
25 to 29 years old	1 501 599	14 922	4 164	8 639	24 694	30 996	78 435	93 232	127 533	106 372	722 553	78 490	56 787	32 661	93 798	28 323	12.4
30 to 34 years old	1 356 050	13 020	4 590	12 770	31 582	35 214	90 492	91 697	122 445	96 553	631 903	57 921	46 658	28 331	68 977	23 897	12.3
35 to 39 years old	1 279 069	12 560	6 063	16 989	41 737	44 020	110 232	88 291	119 031	97 322	547 217	49 639	42 305	23 184	57 858	22 621	12.2
40 to 44 years old	1 288 471	13 740	8 130	23 994	53 443	53 920	135 364	89 424	118 468	110 709	494 968	46 423	43 064	21 054	51 854	23 916	12.1
45 to 49 years old	1 262 180	14 375	10 561	32 091	66 831	63 893	158 897	82 552	105 963	106 939	447 918	46 100	42 092	18 930	44 042	21 396	11.9
50 to 54 years old	1 199 937	14 594	11 307	35 510	74 515	69 636	187 684	79 589	96 914	86 876	353 131	35 654	36 752	16 160	40 371	21 244	11.1
55 to 59 years old	1 079 231	15 257	12 914	41 464	85 139	78 208	208 991	76 725	89 642	69 059	259 480	30 489	34 971	17 331	39 668	19 893	10.2
60 to 64 years old	978 698	16 489	14 169	45 799	90 866	78 295	211 724	70 805	76 774	52 739	178 697	28 492	36 945	17 819	40 342	18 743	9.5
65 to 69 years old	829 816	19 307	16 376	53 285	92 272	72 956	203 566	56 441	55 907	33 638	118 093	22 901	31 004	13 056	28 922	12 092	8.8
70 to 74 years old	647 957	19 753	14 039	48 235	77 360	56 993	173 643	41 894	39 090	22 151	81 700	16 290	22 489	8 260	18 963	7 097	8.6
75 years old and over	979 262	45 503	25 556	90 113	134 311	77 527	272 773	55 413	50 195	29 474	109 663	20 316	28 694	10 171	22 305	7 248	8.4
Negro																	
Total, 14 years old and over	**2 462 967**	**119 945**	**117 385**	**243 804**	**335 364**	**243 471**	**306 613**	**241 864**	**229 196**	**191 562**	**318 821**	**39 770**	**25 892**	**12 724**	**32 132**	**14 424**	**8.6**
14 to 19 years old	583 157	10 163	3 088	11 282	53 772	75 273	110 529	106 341	89 599	73 194	43 501	5 511	736	142	21	–	9.3
20 to 24 years old	260 692	6 621	2 293	5 635	13 549	12 190	19 528	23 450	27 676	28 684	92 259	9 969	9 150	5 084	4 221	383	11.7
25 years old and over	1 619 118	103 161	112 004	226 887	268 038	156 008	176 556	112 073	111 921	89 684	183 061	14 290	16 006	7 498	27 890	14 041	7.6
Male, 14 years old and over	**1 209 268**	**68 330**	**71 898**	**137 425**	**171 223**	**116 641**	**145 401**	**114 425**	**106 573**	**85 781**	**143 731**	**13 447**	**11 643**	**5 493**	**10 382**	**6 895**	**8.3**
14 to 19 years old	304 268	5 450	1 022	7 073	33 266	41 962	58 395	55 189	44 420	34 393	19 603	2 215	281	53	6	–	9.1
20 to 24 years old	132 992	3 499	1 368	3 692	8 593	6 897	11 202	12 968	14 879	14 991	42 714	4 685	3 877	2 087	1 347	193	11.2
25 years old and over	771 948	59 381	68 568	126 660	129 364	67 782	75 804	46 268	47 274	36 397	81 414	6 547	7 485	3 353	8 949	6 702	7.0
25 to 29 years old	95 309	2 599	1 600	3 820	8 193	6 625	9 453	9 502	11 227	9 527	26 189	1 677	1 405	875	1 989	628	10.5
30 to 34 years old	80 944	2 436	2 384	5 438	9 133	6 929	8 840	8 210	9 008	6 771	16 899	1 075	1 067	545	1 388	821	9.6
35 to 39 years old	78 795	2 690	3 443	8 063	11 581	7 694	9 465	6 618	7 007	5 245	11 877	1 031	1 111	435	1 361	1 174	8.6
40 to 44 years old	79 415	3 250	4 754	10 531	14 316	8 732	9 345	5 456	5 930	4 754	8 380	668	962	313	925	1 099	7.8
45 to 49 years old	77 576	4 252	6 159	12 465	14 997	8 482	8 529	4 638	4 519	3 602	6 500	594	890	335	804	810	7.1
50 to 54 years old	74 603	4 870	7 969	14 916	14 966	7 700	7 767	3 632	3 223	2 596	4 327	490	586	221	646	694	6.3
55 to 59 years old	71 367	5 945	8 637	15 943	15 422	6 716	6 854	2 933	2 387	1 622	2 938	275	404	158	552	581	5.7
60 to 64 years old	62 572	6 332	8 671	15 499	13 432	5 349	5 683	1 995	1 526	950	1 668	198	306	114	425	424	5.1
65 to 69 years old	57 452	8 113	9 378	15 342	11 054	4 182	4 024	1 383	1 073	602	1 091	220	296	128	349	217	4.4
70 to 74 years old	40 862	6 967	6 908	10 493	7 748	2 551	2 947	889	607	267	773	108	209	95	201	99	4.2
75 years old and over	53 053	11 927	8 665	14 150	8 522	2 822	2 897	1 012	767	461	772	211	249	134	309	155	3.8
Female, 14 years old and over	**1 253 759**	**51 615**	**45 487**	**106 379**	**164 141**	**126 830**	**161 212**	**127 439**	**122 623**	**105 781**	**175 090**	**16 223**	**14 249**	**7 231**	**21 830**	**7 529**	**8.8**
14 to 19 years old	278 889	4 713	1 126	4 209	20 511	33 311	52 134	51 152	45 179	38 801	23 898	3 296	455	89	15	–	9.5
20 to 24 years old	127 700	3 122	925	1 943	4 956	5 293	8 326	10 482	12 797	13 693	49 545	5 284	5 273	2 997	2 874	190	12.0
25 years old and over	847 170	43 780	43 436	100 227	138 674	88 226	100 752	65 805	64 647	53 287	101 647	7 743	8 521	4 145	18 941	7 339	8.1
25 to 29 years old	93 742	2 403	914	2 216	5 454	5 565	8 698	9 411	11 912	10 209	28 874	1 714	1 495	901	3 372	604	11.0
30 to 34 years old	86 137	1 950	1 225	3 243	6 959	6 421	9 371	9 545	10 845	9 387	20 986	1 139	1 236	552	2 514	764	10.4
35 to 39 years old	87 140	1 875	1 717	4 383	9 356	8 324	11 421	9 190	10 005	8 691	15 845	1 079	1 094	508	2 490	1 153	9.7
40 to 44 years old	90 873	2 227	2 525	6 726	12 664	10 530	12 392	9 219	8 887	8 143	11 500	1 050	1 032	489	2 424	1 065	8.9
45 to 49 years old	85 539	2 825	3 474	8 590	15 152	11 209	11 254	7 472	6 903	5 844	8 228	779	711	329	1 833	936	8.1
50 to 54 years old	80 804	3 003	4 071	10 916	16 590	11 070	11 209	5 926	5 119	4 035	5 158	478	569	210	1 485	965	7.5
55 to 59 years old	76 983	3 692	4 919	11 530	17 445	10 449	10 451	4 935	3 802	2 602	3 861	410	648	242	1 317	680	7.1
60 to 64 years old	69 798	4 308	5 612	12 281	16 595	8 433	8 789	3 729	2 800	1 762	2 627	291	455	225	1 351	540	6.6
65 to 69 years old	66 090	5 779	6 457	14 823	15 307	6 874	6 997	2 810	1 943	1 158	1 792	353	422	211	831	333	5.8
70 to 74 years old	46 181	5 113	4 975	10 603	10 374	4 307	4 609	1 782	1 160	612	1 199	187	360	193	549	158	5.5
75 years old and over	63 883	10 605	7 547	14 916	12 778	5 044	5 561	1 786	1 271	844	1 577	263	499	285	766	141	4.9

Table 199. **Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Race, Sex, and Age: 1970** – Continued

(Data based on sample; see text. For minimum base for derived figures (percent, median, etc.) and meaning of symbols, see text)

United States Urban and Rural	Total	Years of school completed														Median school years completed
		None	Elementary school					High school				College				
			1 and 2	3 and 4	5 and 6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5 or more	
RURAL NONFARM – Continued																
Persons of Spanish Heritage																
Total, 14 years old and over	633 024	50 824	75 478	52 538	69 632	46 101	76 243	53 109	49 557	41 015	110 695	15 911	14 434	6 217	12 099	9 371	8.9
14 to 19 years old	145 349	2 533	901	2 570	13 944	19 640	28 177	26 166	21 483	17 765	10 580	1 378	182	18	12		9.2
20 to 24 years old	81 441	2 149	1 083	2 909	6 572	3 861	6 497	6 051	6 237	6 019	27 281	5 196	3 709	1 709	1 727	441	11.9
25 years old and over	406 234	46 142	73 494	46 859	49 116	22 600	41 569	20 892	21 837	17 231	72 834	9 337	10 543	4 490	10 360	8 930	8.4
Male, 14 years old and over	326 597	26 304	14 591	28 004	25 952	23 692	38 863	26 837	34 838	30 961	53 460	8 675	7 916	3 314	6 424	6 766	8.9
14 to 19 years old	76 126	1 256	497	1 443	7 699	10 678	14 513	13 737	11 340	9 049	5 018	801	78	5	12		9.1
20 to 24 years old	40 510	1 034	629	1 540	3 032	1 888	3 347	2 957	2 920	3 122	13 115	2 948	1 940	917	829	292	11.9
25 years old and over	209 961	24 014	13 465	25 021	25 221	11 126	21 003	10 143	10 578	8 790	35 327	4 926	5 898	2 392	5 583	6 474	8.3
25 to 29 years old	32 969	974	798	1 721	3 347	1 856	3 037	2 407	2 323	2 020	9 111	1 288	1 340	544	1 247	956	11.0
30 to 34 years old	29 592	1 235	946	2 477	3 235	1 444	2 862	2 073	1 849	1 617	7 401	1 113	1 047	428	923	962	10.3
35 to 39 years old	28 548	1 904	1 655	3 536	3 329	1 480	2 659	1 297	1 660	1 170	5 643	812	875	351	920	1 257	8.9
40 to 44 years old	26 293	2 390	1 912	3 278	3 452	1 526	2 623	1 372	1 395	1 154	3 989	454	733	317	688	1 010	8.2
45 to 49 years old	23 293	2 632	1 814	3 072	2 948	1 287	2 271	992	1 176	1 059	3 297	479	628	290	530	818	7.9
50 to 54 years old	18 798	2 182	1 180	2 402	2 145	942	2 005	565	711	572	2 348	258	434	154	374	526	7.5
55 to 59 years old	14 165	2 503	1 209	2 188	2 056	752	1 490	472	523	461	1 345	142	293	100	321	310	6.2
60 to 64 years old	13 060	2 667	1 131	2 242	1 902	672	1 502	371	470	304	948	129	175	53	201	293	5.6
65 to 69 years old	10 541	2 667	1 287	1 684	1 245	495	1 215	243	269	167	594	135	129	60	175	178	4.5
70 to 74 years old	6 374	1 905	688	1 050	708	321	591	192	95	115	281	76	125	51	84	92	4.1
75 years old and over	8 328	2 975	845	1 371	854	351	748	159	107	151	370	40	119	44	120	74	3.5
Female, 14 years old and over	306 427	24 520	10 887	24 334	23 680	22 409	37 380	26 272	24 719	20 054	57 235	7 236	6 518	2 903	5 675	2 605	9.0
14 to 19 years old	69 223	1 277	404	1 127	6 245	8 962	13 664	12 429	10 143	8 716	5 562	527	104	13			9.2
20 to 24 years old	40 931	1 115	454	1 369	3 540	1 973	3 150	3 094	3 317	2 897	14 166	2 248	1 769	792	898	149	11.8
25 years old and over	196 273	22 128	10 029	21 838	23 895	11 474	20 566	10 749	11 259	8 441	37 507	4 411	4 645	2 098	4 777	2 456	8.4
25 to 29 years old	33 199	1 070	706	1 812	3 300	2 170	3 173	2 456	2 714	1 883	10 063	1 150	1 028	364	998	312	10.7
30 to 34 years old	29 141	1 509	810	2 436	3 543	1 603	2 826	2 005	1 932	1 687	7 450	852	855	547	781	305	9.9
35 to 39 years old	28 092	1 632	1 345	3 289	3 523	1 529	2 889	1 667	2 050	1 288	6 213	541	751	269	782	324	8.9
40 to 44 years old	24 543	2 425	1 461	3 142	3 106	1 290	2 653	1 490	1 397	1 090	4 388	475	510	229	555	334	8.3
45 to 49 years old	21 208	2 313	1 323	2 777	2 652	1 421	2 451	931	1 059	943	3 476	575	427	155	421	283	8.0
50 to 54 years old	15 362	2 234	980	1 787	1 978	916	1 914	627	749	504	2 290	269	346	171	350	253	7.8
55 to 59 years old	13 374	2 360	822	1 761	1 868	1 009	1 451	602	448	385	1 503	215	303	116	267	244	6.9
60 to 64 years old	10 621	2 371	854	1 483	1 413	677	1 122	399	400	241	781	184	177	80	211	222	5.9
65 to 69 years old	8 231	1 989	701	1 306	1 086	382	952	219	240	187	573	104	97	85	216	94	5.2
70 to 74 years old	5 338	1 698	450	885	602	246	468	143	92	117	367	19	61	52	91	47	4.2
75 years old and over	7 164	2 527	577	1 160	824	237	667	210	178	116	403	27	90	32	78	38	3.7
RURAL FARM																	
Total																	
Total, 14 years old and over	6 207 203	68 372	53 666	172 880	332 663	388 722	1 274 528	505 179	528 015	461 268	1 739 032	217 200	172 647	74 760	161 415	66 826	10.6
14 to 19 years old	1 111 321	7 078	2 039	5 174	29 599	105 365	217 293	215 214	203 611	198 313	108 148	17 777	1 553	120	37		9.9
20 to 24 years old	355 442	4 593	1 307	2 868	6 404	6 489	18 023	14 048	16 590	17 721	178 498	33 513	26 227	13 491	13 863	1 807	12.5
25 years old and over	4 740 440	56 701	50 320	164 838	296 660	276 878	1 039 212	275 917	307 814	245 254	1 442 386	165 910	144 867	61 149	147 515	65 019	10.7
Male, 14 years old and over	3 188 774	40 137	36 224	111 743	198 908	222 673	714 513	282 078	262 186	221 183	815 230	92 135	76 329	27 793	70 362	37 181	10.0
14 to 19 years old	592 628	3 857	1 214	3 282	19 192	59 747	114 252	112 655	105 826	103 940	57 871	9 970	758	45	19		9.8
20 to 24 years old	188 431	2 386	838	1 727	3 918	4 088	10 356	7 539	8 032	9 190	92 005	17 908	15 516	7 090	6 883	955	12.5
25 years old and over	2 407 715	33 894	34 272	106 734	175 798	158 838	589 905	141 884	148 328	108 052	665 354	64 257	60 055	20 658	63 460	36 226	9.7
25 to 29 years old	161 693	2 145	927	1 950	4 004	3 758	12 488	7 660	9 086	7 030	80 691	8 213	8 088	3 130	8 884	3 639	12.4
30 to 34 years old	171 709	2 020	1 124	2 933	5 338	4 789	17 583	9 077	9 661	6 999	84 889	7 180	6 458	1 963	7 634	4 061	12.3
35 to 39 years old	203 172	2 081	1 787	4 378	7 606	6 989	30 218	11 030	12 135	8 912	90 074	7 184	6 447	1 966	7 749	4 616	12.2
40 to 44 years old	249 182	2 374	2 088	5 935	10 739	10 391	47 066	15 815	18 266	15 356	93 783	6 981	6 244	2 314	7 326	4 504	11.8
45 to 49 years old	281 253	2 951	2 972	8 073	14 524	13 493	63 724	16 262	18 515	15 890	95 565	8 295	7 141	2 346	6 919	4 583	11.0
50 to 54 years old	296 349	2 845	3 392	10 715	18 803	18 808	81 272	18 196	20 091	15 424	80 142	7 179	6 841	2 243	6 629	3 770	9.7
55 to 59 years old	304 060	3 192	4 341	14 721	25 816	24 773	90 034	19 645	20 021	14 770	64 251	5 963	5 520	1 949	5 699	3 365	8.9
60 to 64 years old	262 981	3 494	4 637	15 194	26 663	25 001	84 251	17 300	16 979	10 808	38 548	5 204	4 979	1 815	4 875	3 233	8.7
65 to 69 years old	193 793	3 626	4 776	14 359	22 895	21 057	66 283	12 165	10 874	6 193	17 930	3 244	3 346	1 310	3 533	2 202	8.5
70 to 74 years old	133 045	3 210	3 316	11 303	16 886	14 636	46 887	7 921	7 073	3 479	10 021	2 326	2 246	742	1 929	1 070	8.4
75 years old and over	150 478	5 956	4 912	17 173	22 524	15 143	50 099	6 813	5 627	3 191	9 460	2 488	2 746	880	2 263	1 183	8.2
Female, 14 years old and over	3 018 429	28 235	17 342	61 137	133 755	166 049	560 015	243 101	265 829	240 106	913 802	125 065	96 318	46 967	91 053	29 645	11.1
14 to 19 years old	518 693	3 221	825	1 892	10 407	45 618	103 041	102 559	97 785	94 373	50 277	7 807	795	75	18		9.9
20 to 24 years old	167 011	2 207	469	1 141	2 486	2 401	7 667	6 509	8 558	8 531	86 493	15 605	10 711	6 401	6 980	852	12.5
25 years old and over	2 332 725	22 807	16 048	58 104	120 862	118 040	449 307	134 033	159 486	137 202	777 032	101 653	84 812	40 491	84 055	28 793	11.6
25 to 29 years old	166 157	1 769	504	1 202	2 453	2 768	9 764	8 094	10 658	9 555	88 075	10 943	6 128	3 530	8 532	2 182	12.4
30 to 34 years old	189 544	1 510	602	1 638	3 741	4 008	13 663	9 417	13 158	11 138	98 947	10 210	6 821	4 240	8 241	2 210	12.4
35 to 39 years old	226 820	1 722	820	2 384	5 381	5 677	22 695	11 622	15 821	14 312	112 452	10 968	7 975	4 321	8 132	2 538	12.3
40 to 44 years old	258 257	1 724	1 048	3 091	7 247	7 765	34 694	13 207	18 159	18 437	113 804	12 888	9 363	4 600	9 135	3 095	12.2
45 to 49 years old	281 956	1 642	1 514	4 857	10 632	11 260	48 269	14 906	19 396	20 203	109 216	12 940	9 955	4 590	8 996	3 580	12.1
50 to 54 years old	291 159	1 693	1 525	5 480	13 459	15 302	63 362	17 849	20 654	19 718	93 997	10 730	9 174	4 273	9 952	3 991	11.3
55 to 59 years old	272 981	1 897	1 829	6 918	16 038	17 080	65 670	17 903	20 310	17 324	69 172	10 756	9 738	4 613	9 989	3 744	10.5
60 to 64 years old	223 975	1 850	1 715	6 422	15 470	17 276	58 715	15 573	16 566	12 230	41 569	9 180	9 869	4 648	9 289	3 603	9.7
65 to 69 years old	162 808	2 051	1 769	7 383	15 217	13 740	47 795	11 090	10 374	6 691	22 980	5 878	7 083	2 693	5 810	2 054	8.9
70 to 74 years old	113 129	2 011	1 559	6 049	11 884	10 549	36 670	6 959	7 036	3 688	13 264	3 568	4 294	1 515	3 036	1 047	8.7
75 years old and over	145 939	4 938	3 163	12 680	19 340	12 415	48 010	7 413	7 354	3 906	13 556	3 592	4 412	1 468	2 943	749	8.4

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Table 199. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Race, Sex, and Age: 1970 – Continued

(Data based on sample; see text. For minimum base for derived figures (percent, median, etc.) and meaning of symbols, see text)

United States
Urban and Rural

	Total	Years of school completed															Median school years completed
		None	Elementary school					High school				College					
			1 and 2	3 and 4	5 and 6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5 or more	
RURAL FARM – Continued																	
Negro																	
Total, 14 years old and over	**299 560**	**13 284**	**15 649**	**35 302**	**47 729**	**32 719**	**40 348**	**28 291**	**25 348**	**20 913**	**38 597**	**2 715**	**2 424**	**1 306**	**3 659**	**1 257**	**8.1**
14 to 19 years old	77 925	948	387	1 850	7 659	9 593	14 878	14 401	12 595	10 088	4 931	479	106	10			9.3
20 to 24 years old	24 619	679	384	801	1 847	1 346	2 022	1 914	2 232	2 328	8 332	913	845	474	473	29	11.5
25 years old and over	197 016	11 657	14 898	32 651	38 223	21 780	23 448	12 076	10 521	8 496	15 334	1 323	1 473	722	3 186	1 228	7.0
Male, 14 years old and over	**148 663**	**8 284**	**10 757**	**22 061**	**25 223**	**15 226**	**18 565**	**13 039**	**10 640**	**8 733**	**11 997**	**1 020**	**1 004**	**472**	**993**	**449**	**7.5**
14 to 19 years old	39 795	521	252	1 207	4 701	5 330	7 562	7 294	5 868	4 606	2 251	162	41				9.0
20 to 24 years old	12 388	352	266	488	1 132	744	1 146	1 024	1 118	1 196	3 894	357	342	186	134	9	10.9
25 years old and over	96 480	7 411	10 239	20 366	19 390	9 152	9 857	4 721	3 654	2 931	5 852	501	621	286	859	440	6.1
25 to 29 years old	6 751	268	233	450	841	654	743	646	641	493	1 420	75	75	56	144	12	9.3
30 to 34 years old	6 255	325	295	770	885	643	688	652	560	306	894	57	50	11	102	17	8.3
35 to 39 years old	7 272	318	560	1 029	1 281	774	823	451	442	406	884	42	28	53	111	50	7.6
40 to 44 years old	8 820	422	630	1 482	1 715	953	1 174	591	532	413	624	66	[illegible]	26	67	68	12.2
45 to 49 years old	9 947	639	951	1 967	2 073	1 076	1 094	525	442	317	611	42	[illegible]	6	58	62	6.4
50 to 54 years old	11 216	726	1 215	2 445	2 385	1 221	1 216	473	406	316	483	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	96	61	6.0
55 to 59 years old	12 331	783	1 388	3 207	3 017	1 187	1 076	457	312	328	351	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	60	58	5.5
60 to 64 years old	11 127	985	1 353	2 734	2 770	1 045	1 019	377	222	122	220	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	115	66	5.3
65 to 69 years old	9 417	961	1 476	2 574	1 969	705	925	282	132	69	135	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	55	21	4.8
70 to 74 years old	6 264	786	923	1 721	1 268	441	568	139	123	88	103	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	21	14	4.6
75 years old and over	7 080	1 198	1 215	1 987	1 186	453	531	128	42	73	127	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	30	11	4.1
Female, 14 years old and over	**150 897**	**5 000**	**4 912**	**13 241**	**22 506**	**17 493**	**21 783**	**15 252**	**14 508**	**12 179**	**16 600**	**1 695**	**1 420**	**834**	**2 666**	**808**	**8.6**
14 to 19 years old	38 130	427	135	643	2 958	4 263	7 316	7 107	6 727	5 482	2 680	317	[illegible]	[illegible]			9.5
20 to 24 years old	12 231	327	118	313	715	602	876	890	1 114	1 132	4 438	556	[illegible]	[illegible]	339	20	12.0
25 years old and over	100 536	4 246	4 659	12 285	18 833	12 628	13 591	7 355	6 667	5 565	9 482	822	652	436	2 327	788	7.8
25 to 29 years old	7 720	238	99	315	686	552	801	894	894	683	2 008	92	83	111	225	39	10.3
30 to 34 years old	7 746	206	183	440	848	768	1 013	813	856	714	1 508	95	68	23	181	30	9.5
35 to 39 years old	9 127	218	252	602	1 245	1 134	1 268	943	813	757	1 459	88	59	19	188	82	8.9
40 to 44 years old	10 336	279	261	803	1 552	1 322	1 492	893	911	954	1 318	90	56	29	279	97	8.6
45 to 49 years old	11 160	283	421	1 232	2 112	1 615	1 744	767	826	727	871	114	56	48	246	98	7.9
50 to 54 years old	11 925	359	530	1 413	2 537	1 817	1 719	824	716	566	789	104	111	16	271	133	7.6
55 to 59 years old	11 968	378	566	1 667	2 721	1 931	1 774	783	582	475	516	66	90	21	279	113	7.3
60 to 64 years old	10 033	378	580	1 611	2 446	1 368	1 377	621	442	287	341	52	89	69	307	65	7.0
65 to 69 years old	8 270	494	607	1 591	1 950	927	1 114	398	294	203	255	57	126	48	154	52	6.5
70 to 74 years old	5 362	402	486	1 081	1 235	655	645	213	148	78	159	35	53	21	93	58	6.2
75 years old and over	6 889	1 011	674	1 530	1 501	539	644	206	185	101	258	29	55	31	104	21	5.3
Persons of Spanish Heritage																	
Total, 14 years old and over	**77 158**	**6 738**	**3 222**	**7 270**	**9 569**	**5 407**	**10 166**	**6 313**	**5 409**	**4 876**	**11 395**	**2 040**	**1 653**	**674**	**1 588**	**838**	**8.6**
14 to 19 years old	17 447	330	139	297	1 543	2 203	3 273	3 044	2 583	2 624	1 169	215	21	6			9.3
20 to 24 years old	7 255	320	103	387	847	408	671	536	414	413	2 088	519	285	120	131	13	10.9
25 years old and over	52 456	6 088	2 980	6 586	7 179	2 796	6 222	2 733	2 412	1 839	8 138	1 306	1 347	548	1 457	825	8.1
Male, 14 years old and over	**41 853**	**4 030**	**2 065**	**4 443**	**5 464**	**3 053**	**5 502**	**3 297**	**2 832**	**2 222**	**5 384**	**987**	**818**	**344**	**772**	**540**	**8.3**
14 to 19 years old	9 085	189	91	221	890	1 239	1 615	1 644	1 313	1 287	503	81	6	6			9.2
20 to 24 years old	3 898	207	68	272	451	231	341	253	241	213	1 076	270	147	68	60		10.5
25 years old and over	28 870	3 634	1 906	3 950	4 123	1 583	3 546	1 400	1 278	822	3 805	636	665	270	712	540	7.5
25 to 29 years old	3 152	144	101	295	487	226	340	230	196	83	623	119	50	70	92	96	9.0
30 to 34 years old	3 091	174	173	438	546	163	300	181	162	70	495	71	134	30	93	61	8.2
35 to 39 years old	3 383	273	273	534	413	179	327	159	186	134	480	120	85	20	115	85	8.1
40 to 44 years old	3 735	417	234	495	496	173	451	260	143	137	571	77	71	33	88	89	8.1
45 to 49 years old	3 734	500	259	449	531	167	488	166	186	118	482	91	104	39	115	39	7.8
50 to 54 years old	2 758	355	146	388	335	125	437	100	153	91	375	64	82	20	16	71	8.1
55 to 59 years old	2 856	438	149	355	432	297	370	112	78	73	366	33	55		59	39	7.2
60 to 64 years old	2 194	342	186	404	322	79	328	50	62	50	218	19	28	53	45	8	6.2
65 to 69 years old	1 834	421	205	313	278	63	213	79	48	35	71	25	21		40	22	4.9
70 to 74 years old	1 026	243	73	132	144	56	133	27	55	15	64	11	22	5	22	24	6.0
75 years old and over	1 107	327	107	147	139	55	159	36	9	16	60	6	13		27	6	4.3
Female, 14 years old and over	**35 305**	**2 708**	**1 157**	**2 827**	**4 105**	**2 354**	**4 664**	**3 016**	**2 577**	**2 654**	**6 011**	**1 053**	**835**	**330**	**816**	**298**	**9.0**
14 to 19 years old	8 362	141	48	76	653	964	1 658	1 400	1 270	1 337	666	134	15				9.5
20 to 24 years old	3 357	113	35	115	396	177	330	283	173	200	1 012	249	138	52	71	13	11.3
25 years old and over	23 586	2 454	1 074	2 636	3 056	1 213	2 676	1 333	1 134	1 017	4 333	670	682	278	745	285	8.5
25 to 29 years old	2 973	96	114	235	369	162	315	211	179	215	665	146	63	84	97	22	9.9
30 to 34 years old	3 167	208	111	354	479	189	329	235	137	66	584	110	153	61	109	42	8.7
35 to 39 years old	3 195	260	111	402	464	126	278	192	133	187	677	113	92	27	116	17	8.8
40 to 44 years old	3 069	294	153	373	360	70	360	185	231	147	608	67	94	29	67	31	8.8
45 to 49 years old	2 889	329	100	296	335	167	282	145	118	86	681	96	101	24	69	57	8.8
50 to 54 years old	2 344	230	113	240	300	127	296	75	63	105	558	33	34	32	93	45	8.5
55 to 59 years old	2 133	300	128	248	253	155	387	114	100	80	182	74	33		55	24	7.9
60 to 64 years old	1 468	179	134	175	134	58	189	95	63	82	192	15	60	7	61	24	8.3
65 to 69 years old	1 020	182	50	109	204	86	136	42	41	43	65		12	6	34	10	6.7
70 to 74 years old	665	168	39	90	62	36	48	24	35		76	6	40	8	27	5	6.3
75 years old and over	663	208	21	114	95	37	56	15	34	6	42	10			17	8	4.8